

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention discloses eight new reduced dimensionality (RD) triple resonance nuclear magnetic resonance (NMR) experiments for measuring chemical shift values of certain nuclei in a protein molecule. The RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}}\underline{\text{A}},\underline{\text{C}}\underline{\text{A}},(\text{CO}),\text{N},\text{HN}$ NMR experiment and the RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}},\underline{\text{C}},(\text{C-TOCSY-CO}),\text{N},\text{HN}$ NMR experiment are designed to yield “sequential” connectivities, while the RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}}^{\alpha\beta},\underline{\text{C}}^{\alpha\beta},\text{CO},\text{HA}$ NMR experiment and the RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}}^{\alpha\beta},\underline{\text{C}}^{\alpha\beta},\text{N},\text{HN}$ NMR experiment provide “intraresidue” connectivities. The RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}},\underline{\text{C}},\text{C},\text{H-COSY}$ NMR experiment, the RD 3D $\underline{\text{H}},\underline{\text{C}},\text{C},\text{H-TOCSY}$ NMR experiment, and the RD 2D $\underline{\text{H}},\underline{\text{C}},\text{H-COSY}$ NMR experiment allow one to obtain assignments for aliphatic and aromatic side chain chemical shifts, while the RD 2D $\underline{\text{H}}\underline{\text{B}},\underline{\text{C}}\underline{\text{B}},(\text{CG},\text{CD}),\text{HD}$ NMR experiment provide information for the aromatic side chain chemical shifts. In addition, a method of conducting suites of RD triple resonance NMR experiments for high-throughput resonance assignment of proteins and identification of the location of secondary structure elements are disclosed.

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